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In re patent application of:
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For: MECHANISM TO DISABLE \$
DYNAMICALLY A COMPUTER \$
AUDIO INPUT/OUTPUT CONNECTOR \$

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 31, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-3 and 8-11 are amended and claims 1-3, 6-10 and 13-15 remain in the application.